

## STUDENT HAZING

- I. The Board of Education believes that hazing activities of any type are inconsistent with the educational process and a violation of State law. The Board prohibits all such activities at any time in school facilities, on school property, and at any District-sponsored event.
- II. For the purposes of this policy, hazing shall be defined as performing any act or coercing another, including the victim, to perform any act of initiation into any class, group, or organization that causes or creates a risk of causing mental, emotional, or physical harm. Permission, consent, or assumption of risk by an individual subjected to hazing shall not lessen the prohibitions contained in this policy.
- III. Administrators, faculty members, and other employees of the District shall be alert to possible situations, circumstances, or events, which might include hazing.

Legal reference:  
Sections 120.13, 120.44, 948.51, Wis. Stats.

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The Port Washington-Saukville School District does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, or age in its programs and activities and provides equal access to designated youth groups. The following person has been designated to handle inquiries regarding the non-discrimination policies: Director of Special Services, Port Washington-Saukville School District, 100 W. Monroe Street, Port Washington, WI 53074 - Duane.Woelfel@pwssd.k12.wi.us